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THE MASSACHUSETTS CAT will soon be licensed, if the bill just introduced in the legislature of that state shall become a law. The owner of each cat will be required to see to it that his domestic pet is supplied and equipped with a collar bearing his name and address, and also a number by which the mouser may be legally known and identified. A part of the statute which may be made and provided should be that the collar be placed around the cat's neck so firmly and tightly as to preclude the possibility of his making himself heard when the moonlight fantasy peculiar to cathood is discoursed in gentle undulations or with poetic fire amid the arboreal silhouettes of the garden paling. If the cat shall be licensed the question will naturally be raised as to whether the person afflicted with insomnia shall become amenable to the law for projecting, with all the vim of a boomerang-thrower, the boot-jack on a parabolic whizz at his midnight tormentor. As a licensed quadruped, the cat should certainly enjoy certain immunities; and it is not going too far to say that he should be legally protected against the onslaughts of the licensed dog that regards the tabby as his legitimate quarry, whether he wears a collar or not. But the cat's natural melody should be curbed as far as possible, with the exception of the musical relation he bears to the violin when the bow seesaws gracefully on his pasteurized intestines. The cat should be proud and happy in being no longer a four-footed Pariah, but a creature that may purr in sweetest content to the accompaniment of the sizzling tea-kettle, and feel that the friendliest relations have been established with the natives of the state that is now considering the advisibility of making him, so to speak, a certified cat.

CHICAGO is likely to rival Boston in the matter of recognizing sterling merit in apparently silly fads and foibles. And it seems only consistent that the fad that flourishes in the town of beans should likewise thrive in the metropolis of pork. The wind-swept city by the lake is now busily engaged in the practice of the Christian Vaudeville Cure. Whether it is a remedy to cure sick people by practicing the vaudeville cure on them, or a school created for the purpose of curing people of the vaudeville habit, is not quite clear. The Christian Vaudeville Cure may in time have a rival in the Jewish Vaudeville Cure, and if Chicago should secure the Semetic fad also, which is not likely on account of her pronounced porcine idolatry, she should receive the congratulations of Boston on the strength of a triumph that may be but one of a number of stepping-stones to the formation of a Chaucer club.

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WHETHER one chews or eschews pie, the fact still remains that a fondness for or an aversion to this disc of joy is largely a matter of environment, although an inscrutable love of pie is born in many. In such people, who are simply habitual pie-eaters, the craving is a disease which, to put it mildly, is a form of insanity like unto that which possesses a man who loves to look upon the Maraschino cherry when it is red beneath the bosom of the ante-prandial cocktail. Pie has been greatly abused, and it is true that its fair name and fame have been besmirched by many an unhallowed criticism. But the laurel of enduring fame will remain untarnished upon its brow until the end of time. Pie is an enchanter and an enslaver. It is both material and ethereal, inasmuch as it establishes friendly relations between the stomach and the soul, filling the one and gilding the other with a joy that is, alas! only too brief and evanescent. It inspired Emerson, who rose with the lark to place himself under its benign influence, and who probably fancied that it came to him through the rosy portal of the east on the horseless car of Phœbus. And even as it was enjoyed by so appreciative and discriminating a mental lotos-eater as the Sage of Concord, so was it relished by another great American, the late P. T. Barnum, the Hearst of the show-business. And now it is vulgarly dubbed "commercial pie," owing to the fact that some eccentric statistician has discovered that two hundred thousand of these disci, hand and machine-made, are disposed of and engulfed daily in New York City alone. To say that it is commercial is really a compliment to its popularity and a tribute to its sacred traditions. It has a special representative for each season of the year, and several that have all seasons for their own. To put it loosely, Pomona and Ceres preside over the destinies of Pie, one supplying the crampless apple and the other the superficial structure known as the crust, or envelope. Pie is an American institution, and the man who looks upon it with favor is a patriot that the land may well be proud of. It may seem like sacrilege and idolatry to quote the language of a certain high priest of pie, who said that whenever a new kind is discovered or invented another star should be added to the flag. Fully appreciating the poetic beauty of Shelly's brief but peerless comparison when he paid architecture the highest compliment it has yet received, let us say, while we doff our hat and salaam, that pie—especially the predigested pie of old New England—is baked music.

HIS NUMBER.

RUPERT—"Do you think she will accept you?"
HAROLD—"I don't know. She has a dozen other suitors besides me."
RUPERT—"Well, if you are the thirteenth you will probably be the one to get her."

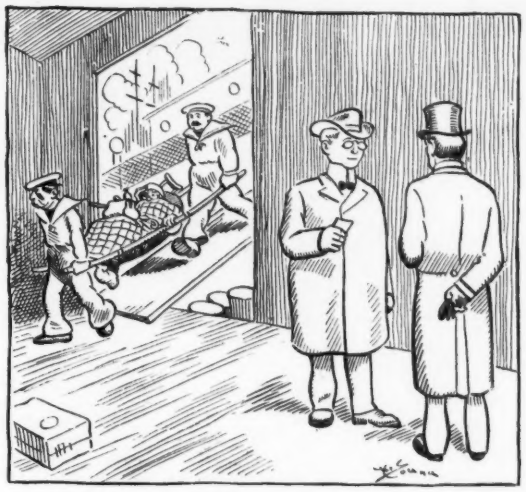
A DOUBLE-BARRELED COMMUTER.

I AM a gay commuter on
The dreary Erie, don't you know.
This festive rig each day I don
When into town I go.

I take in apples, butter, eggs,
In carpet-bag and tub and pail;
And from my golf-bag chicken-legs
Flaunt with the turkey's tail.

These with a marketman I swap
For mutton, sausage, lamb and pork,
Which I lug out to Typhoidtop,
At twilight from New York.

I yank things each way while I blow
And pant and snort in rain and sun,
And feel I'm two commuters, though
I know I'm only one.



HOME AGAIN.

"Who is the man they are carrying off the steamer?"
"Oh, he's the fellow who tried to do Europe without tipping."

THE CHATELAINE BAG REACHES PUMPKIN CORNERS.

AUNT 'LIZA—"Lan' sakes, Missis Cornhusk! What's that?"
MRS. CORNHUSK—"Thet's the very latest style frum N' York. Hiram sez all the wimmin folks is wearin' 'em thet way, but I'll warrant they hain't any of 'em kin beat this 'un."

A CRITICISM.

Jay Green—"Young Blowby, that's home from college, boasts that he's half-back of his football team, don't he?"

Abner Appledry—"Yes; but I think he secretly believes that he's the whole thing."

CONSCIENTIOUS.

Patron—"Why do you mix all that pitch-pine sawdust into the bran?"

Milkman—"To knock the tuberculosis out of the cow."

HIS DISTINCTION.

"BUT your grandfather couldn't have served in the war of 1812."

"Oh, no; but he claims to be one of the oldest living noncombatants."

BON TON.

"OUR cook isn't a great success, is she?"

"Perhaps not, as a cook, but she has lived in such high-toned families that her conversation is most entertaining."

TO THOSE ABOUT TO MARRY.

MARRY a woman who can swim. She can keep her mouth shut.

FOR HER ALONE.

GLADYS—"Is young Mr. Jenkins in business for himself?"
ETHEL—"Well, hardly. We have been engaged for two weeks now!"

JUDGE'S FAVORITES.

AMELIA BINGHAM.

The light and airy nymph of dawn upon the stage,
Amelia Bingham,
Is quite the queen of all that skip in velvet, satin, silk,
or gingham.
She makes the baldhead prance and dance until no
longer he's rheumatic:
She makes the dude with rapture reel, she makes the
critic's dream ecstatic.
And all agree she is so sweet and beautiful to over-
flowing,
That with one look she e'er can start instanter any
stopped clock going.

ROCK-A-BY FOR BI-EM-BY.

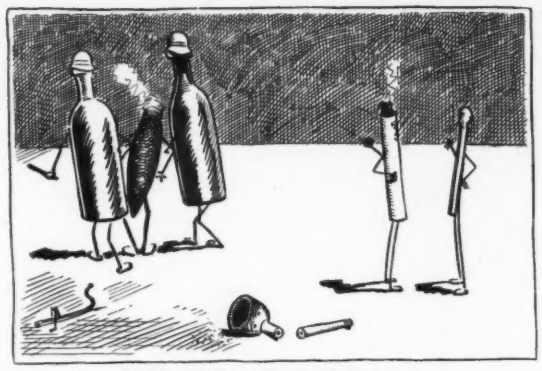
GO to sleep, ma pickaninny,
Shet yo' mouf an' shet yo' eye;
Dar will be a good time comin'
When yo' gwo 'up by-em-by.

Yo' pa 's libin' in de city
Wha de houses stan' so high;
He say dat he hit a gold mine—
Dat he tek us, by-em-by.

Say he wuckin' fo' de trus'-man,
Dat he'll be *it* 'fo' he die,
An' dat we'll hab clams ter feed on
Sometime in dat by-em-by.

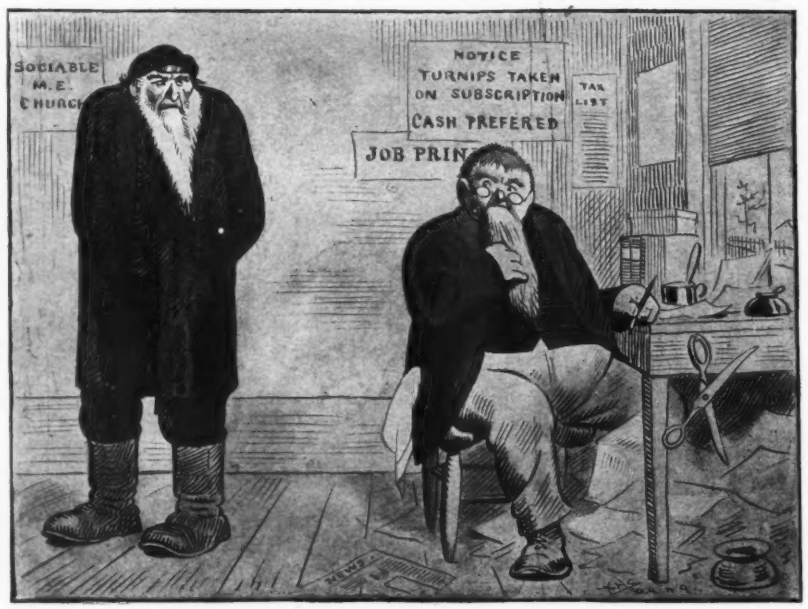
Den yo'll be a re'l fine lady,
An' de folks will say, "Oh, my!
See dat coon dat cum fum Dixie."
Honey, sleep twell by-em-by.

F. H. B.



WHY THEY TOOK HIM IN.

THE MATCH—"What are they arresting the cigar for?"
THE CIGARETTE—"Oh, he hit the pipe."



HIS REASON.

EDITOR—"Well, I'll stop yer paper fer ye, but I kin say right here that ye won't find a better fam'ly paper in ther hull county."
UNCLE JOSH WHIZZ—"Thet's jes' the trubble with it—never nothin' in it but the doin's of yer fam'ly, an' I don't care a cuss fer the hull tribe."

TIT FOR TAT.

"WHAT does this item mean in your accounts—four dollars for perfumery? For mere odors, indeed?"

"Yes; merely to match the aroma from the cigars you have been smoking lately!"

A DIAMOND WANTED.

GERALD—"You are a peach."
GERALDINE—"A stone goes with every peach, and this peach would like the stone on her engagement finger."

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THE COUNT'S IMPRESSION.

EDITH—"They say her husband, the count, acts dreadfully."
ETHEL—"Yes; seems to think he was admitted to the United States free of duty."

EDITOR'S NOTE.—Here is a competition for amateur artists. JUDGE will pay **TEN DOLLARS** for the best hand-colored copy of the above drawing. On receipt of ten cents in stamps a special hand-proof of the drawing, printed in black outline upon Steinbach water-color paper, will be sent to any address. This special proof is to be colored by hand by the amateur artist in water-colors, crayon, or oil, and must be sent to us by mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the Judge Art Department, 110 Fifth Avenue, New York. No copy other than the special proof-copy can be used in this competition.

A FABLE FOR THE TIMES.

A RURAL philosopher came to visit a writer of Gotham, and started out in quest of facts. The month was February, and the city lay buried in snow. At the first street-corner he stopped to observe the rhythmic shoveling of the men in white.

"The dress of these men seems highly appropriate," said he to the writer, who was along, "but their movements are extraordinary,"

AT THE BOTTOM OF THE SEA.

MR. LOBSTER (*the blacksmith*)—"Awful sorry, Miss Mermaid, but I can't shoe your horses to-day. All the horse-shoe crabs are on a strike."

HIS OPINION

FOGG—"Do you believe that the rock of Gibraltar is really impregnable?"
JOGG—"No-o: it's only a big bluff!"

WHILE ON THE CARRIAGELESS HORSE.

WEARY WILLIE (*humorously*)—"Were you ever completely absorbed in a—er—female, Tim?"
SWEET TIMOTHY—"W'ot a question! Why, I've bin loaded inter de Black Maria times innumerable."

The writer said he had never noticed.

At the second corner it was the same; at the third the same.

"My good man," said the philosopher at length to one of the white brigade, "since you do not seem to be in a hurry, I should like to ask you two questions. By what method have you and your fellow-workmen arrived at this regularity of motion in the shoveling of snow? And why, since there is such evident need of haste, do you not accelerate your movements?"

"There's no method we hov, sorr; 'tis a rule av the union."

"And what, may I ask, is the reason for this rule?"

"Shure, 'tis so wan man can't earn more than the nixt."

"I have read of this thing," said the philosopher to his friend, "and intended to meditate upon it when I should have more data. The system is certainly deplorable when applied to the shoveling of snow, and sadly prejudicial to these poor laborers. But I hold that a principle bad in one application must be good in some other. There must be a trade in which the inferior workman is better paid than the superior. Find that out, level the amount of remuneration there, and this evil from which your great city is suffering may be offset."

"Then my trade is your affair," said the writer; and he sighed—for he was an exceedingly good writer—to think that socialism had not made more progress in his day, so that he might be sharing in the profits of "When Helmets Were in Feather," "High and Dry," and "The Purple Crowd."

Moral—A poor rule should be made to work both ways.

EMAR SOULE.

Miss Skillete (after the church supper)—"What little, insignificant oysters the dealer sent us!"

Miss Ladle—"But how they spread themselves!"

ONE OF ITS PROPERTIES.

GLADYS—"They say champagne-drinking gives the eye a peculiar look."
HOBART—"Well, I know it makes a V look like thirty cents."

NEWS ITEM.

(*From the Deaf and Dumb Courier.*)

Miss Martha Dumbborn and George Digit were married at the home of the bride's parents, last Tuesday, by the Rev. A. M. Mum. It was a very quiet wedding.

PING-PONG.

HAIL to this, the name absurd—
Ping-pong!
Like some Filipino word—
Ping-pong!
Calabanga and Silang,
Butalong, Ibung, Indang,
Nasiping, Morong, Bambang—
Ping-pong!

Chant caprice's latest gem—
Sing-song!
Sound of "bridge" the requiem—
Ding-dong!
Bat the celluloid about,
Mingling choler, laugh and poat;
One fad 's in, the other 's out—
Ping-pong!

—EDWIN L. SABIN.

THE WAY OF A MAN.

Mrs. Crawford—"Has your husband made any preparations for Lent?"

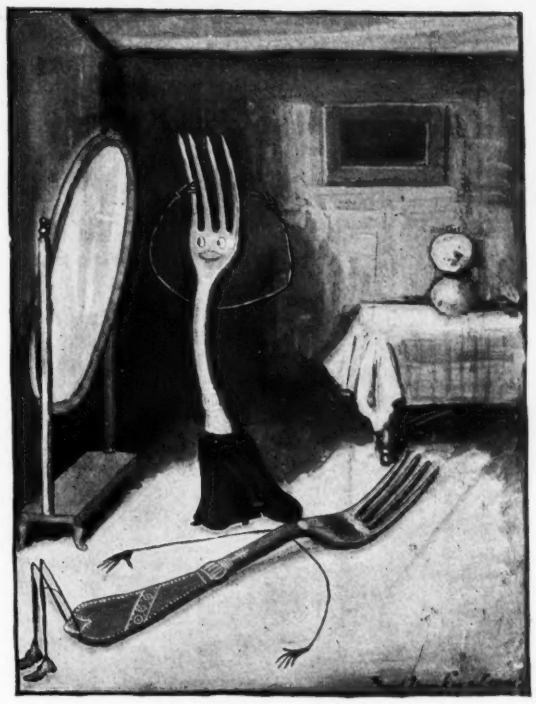
Mrs. Crabshaw—"Yes. He got a case of boneless codfish for me and a dispensation for himself."

NOT USED TO THEM.

Carrye—"Cholly never eats brains."

Maye—"And why not?"

Carrye—"Why, he is afraid they will go to his head."



MORE COMING.

MRS. FORK—"Yes, I know he has fallen to the floor in a faint, and I suppose I should be helping him instead of fixing my hair; but every time a fork falls it's a sure sign a man 's coming."

NEVER CAME BACK.

Cawkins (to man he's just met)—"My clients always return to me again after I've served them once."

Danks—"You're lucky! Mine never do."

Cawkins—"Too bad! Er—are you a lawyer?"

Danks—"No, sir; I'm an undertaker."

THE TEST OF MERIT.

Customer—"Are you sure this is a good cook-book?"

Salesman—"Yes, indeed. They're talking of dramatizing it."

CONQUERED.

Visitor—"And you never had any remorse for your misdeeds?"

Convict—"I did, ma'am, but I managed to live it down."

A TYPICAL AFTERNOON SCENE IN BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS.

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THEY ALL CLAIM TO BE THE GREA

UNCLE SAM—"Well, I declare! One show has hardly pulled u

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HE GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH.

s hardly pulled up stakes before there is another on hand."

BILL BUCKWHEAT'S DREAM.

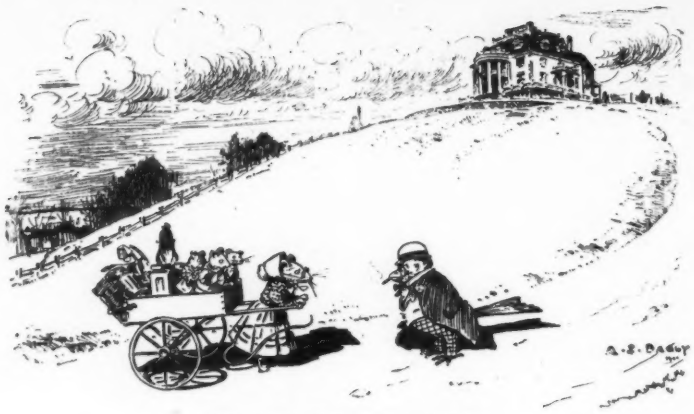
THE Spring will soon be here.
The buds will deck the bough,
And I will jump and bang and bump
Behind the pesky plough.

The frog will blow his horn,
The bird will toot its toot;
And o'er the mead the bag of seed
I'll scatter as I scoot.

The rooster crows with joy—
The joy that soon will charm
And make me slide and slip and glide
Around the dear old farm.

Because in cabbage, bean,
Potato, beet and squash,
My bloomin' crop will be on top,
And so will I, b'gosh!

And checkers I will play,
And chirp and chin and chat,
And club the calf and laugh the laugh
That puts on lots of fat.



THE NEW COUNTRY HOUSE.

MR. SPARROW—"Hello, Madam Mouse! Moving?"
MADAM MOUSE—"Yes: I'm moving into that new house up there where they've put in all the modern improvements. I'm tired of slaving and freezing in these old-fashioned places."

A FAIR EXCHANGE.

MICKEY—"Say, Buttons, gib us de orange an' a bite uv der candy an' I'll let yer drown one uv der kittens."

NEIGHBORLY.

Rusty Rufus—"De lady in de next house give me a a piece of home-made cake. Won't you give me somethin', too?"

Mrs. Spiteful—"Certainly! Here's a pepsin tablet."

A DEFINITION.

Little Clarence—"Pa, what is executive ability?"

Mr. Callipers—"Executive ability, my son, is the capacity for making some one else paddle your own canoe for you."

NOT THE "LAST-BATTLE" CHESTNUT.

Teacher (in A. D., 1909)—"At what one of his battles was General De Wet killed?"

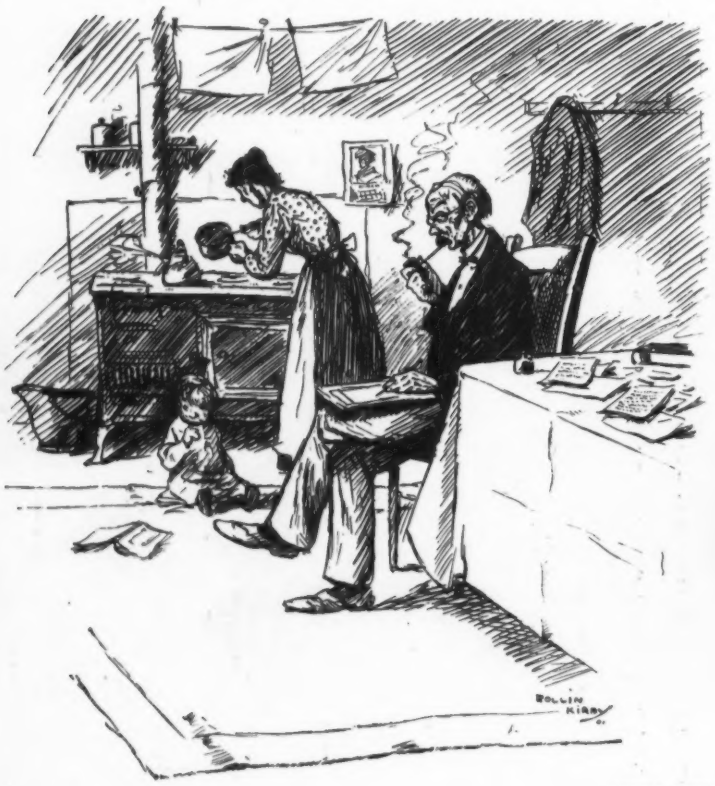
Johnny Smart—"He wasn't killed at any one of them, ma'am. He was killed at five or six of them."

THE COMMUTER'S JOY.

UNTO the gay commuter now
Much pleasure comes to pass;
He neither has to shovel snow,
Nor mow the blooming grass.

Eichman—"The price of coal has gone up."

Mathias—"Well, I won't kick so long as the supply isn't measured by a gas-meter."



HOW IT'S DONE.

The mysterious author of "The Love Letters of a School Girl" in his study.

The brilliant author of "Heart to Heart With Nature," "How to Tell Sap," "At Close Range," writing his delicious story "June Days in My Garden."

GRUM'LIN' PETE.

Grum'lin' Pete—confoun' dat man!
He grum'le all de w'ile.
Dey ain't no pusson in dis town
Dat evah see 'im smile.
He grum'le ef de sunshine come,
En grum'le ef hit rain.
He grum'le w'en 'e walk de road,
En w'en 'e ride de train.

He grum'le ef 'e well, bercause
He 'fraid 'e gwine be sick;
He grum'le w'en de feesh won't bite
En w'en dey crowd de crick;
He grum'le w'en 'e go ter sleep,
Bercause 'e got ter wake;
He grum'le w'en 'e eatin' bread,
Bercause hit isn't cake.

He grum'le w'en 'e got er job,
Bercause 'e hate ter wuk,
En grum'le w'en 'e loafin', foh
Dey ain' no task ter shuk.
Hit's grum'le all de time wif Pete—
Des grum'le eve'y breff.
He des gwine growl 'is whole life long,
En grum'le plum ter deff.
—*Baltimore American.*

Gold Medal at Pan-American Exposition—Dr. Siegert's Imported Angostura Bitters.

"Young man, did you propose to my daughter last evening?"
"Ye-es, sir. But she refused me."
"Refused you. Impossible!"
"Pardon me, sir, but she really did."
"That's very strange. Her mother and I thought she must have accepted you."
"Why, sir?"
"Because she's been going around giggling all day long."—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

Patron—"Do you know anything good for falling hair?"
Barber—"Before or after?"
Patron—"Before or after what?"
Barber—"Before or after the hair has fallen."—*Ohio State Journal.*

They said he owed nothing when he died. A little inquiry showed he had not provided for his chief creditors—his family. This debt is best discharged through a life-insurance policy in the

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Mrs. Gush—"How do you do, 'Manda? How did you like the reading of Browning at the club last night?"
Mrs. Bluff—"Oh, pretty well. But I didn't like the way her dress hung."
Mrs. Gush—"Nor I, either. And it seemed to me she might have held the book more gracefully."—*Boston Transcript.*

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup stops that tickling in the throat. This reliable remedy allays at once irritations of the throat, sore throat, hoarseness, and other bronchial affections.

Lady—"Well, but judging by your face I would hardly say you were a person I should care to give alms to."
Beggar—"Excuse me, lady, you're laborin' hunder a delusion. What you're takin' notice of is due to these 'ere cheap soaps we pore people is obliged to use."—*Punch.*

Abbott's, the Original Angostura Bitters, make life look rosy. At druggists' and grocers'.

Teacher—"What zone is this in which we live?"
Johnny—"Temp'rate."
Teacher—"Correct. Now, tell me what is meant by a 'temperate zone'?"
Johnny—"It's a place where it's freezin' cold in winter an' red-hot in summer."—*Philadelphia Press.*

A BOTTLE of EVANS' ALE

Pleases the eye
Tickles the palate
Soothes the soul
Benefits the stomach

A pleasure that lingers to the very last drop.

Wife—"I've done nothing but practice economy ever since we were married!"
Husband—"And I've had to pay for it!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

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"What is there remarkable about her?"
"She got her money out before she reached the ticket window, and didn't try to put the change back in her purse before moving away to make room for some one else. I'm satisfied that she's the only one of the kind, and the model was lost."—*Chicago Post.*

At the exhibition of the California Fruit-Growers' Association at Chicago the Sohmer Pianos were chosen in preference to all other makes, thus again showing the high estimation in which these popular instruments are held by the public.

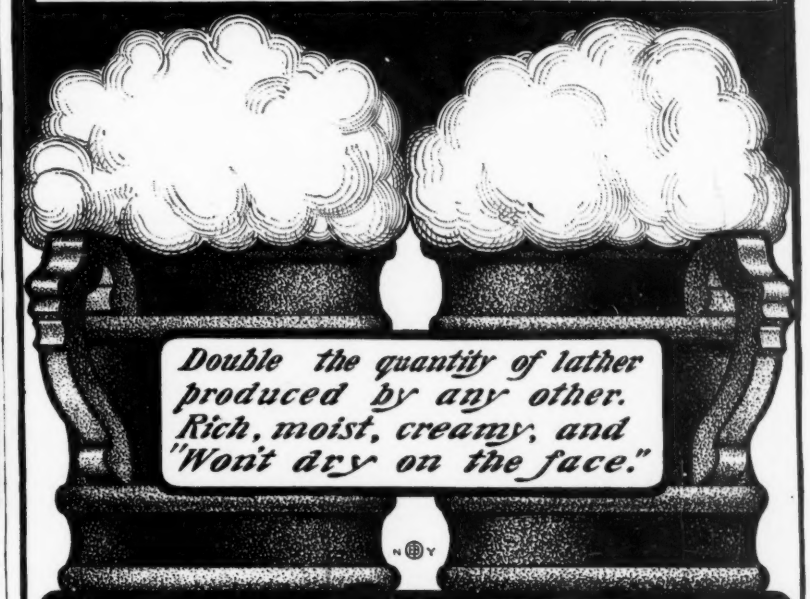
Bizzer—"I am sorry now that I bought my wife a sealskin coat for Christmas."
Buzzer—"Why?"
Bizzer—"Well, I find I shall have to buy her a lot of new clothes fit to wear with it."—*Columbus (Ohio) State Journal.*

"Don't you think that modern actors are more repressed in their methods than the old-timers were?" asked the friend.
"Yes," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes; "scenery has become so elaborate and expensive that we have to carry ourselves with more caution in order not to damage it."—*Washington Star.*

Father—"You shouldn't have waked me up! I dreamed I was in a restaurant and had ordered a sirloin steak. 'You must wait a while,' said the waiter. I had been waiting some time, and then you waked me!"
Daughter—"Oh, but you ought to have ordered cold corned beef!"—*Heitere Welt.*

She—"They say pansies are 'for thoughts.' I wonder why?"
He—"Well, this time of year they make you think twice before you buy them."—*Philadelphia Press.*

WILLIAMS' SHAVING SOAP



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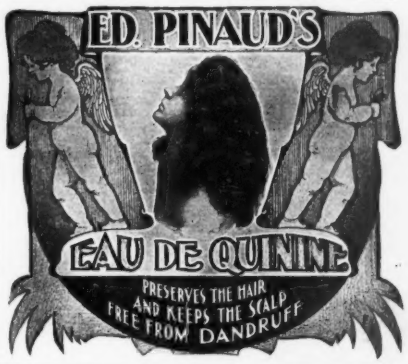

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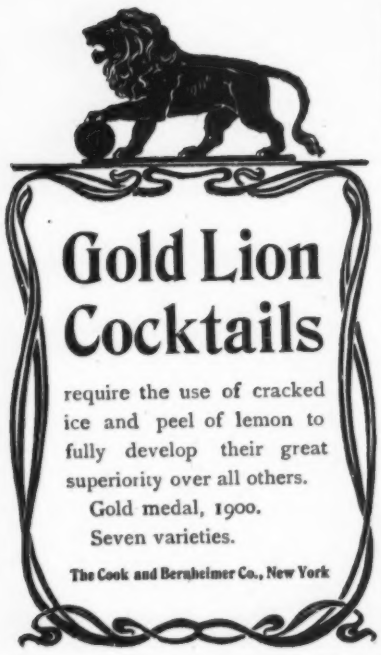

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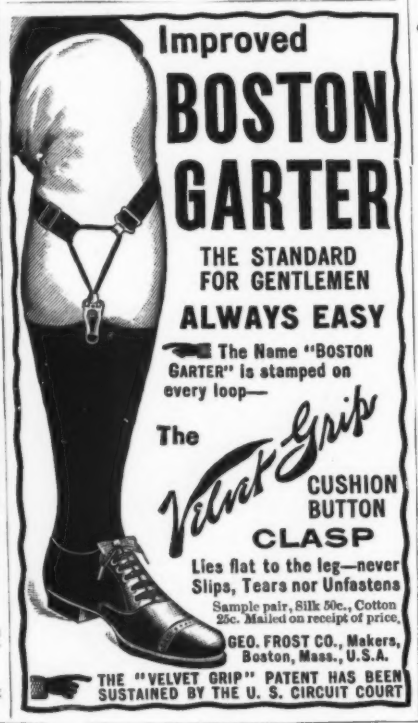

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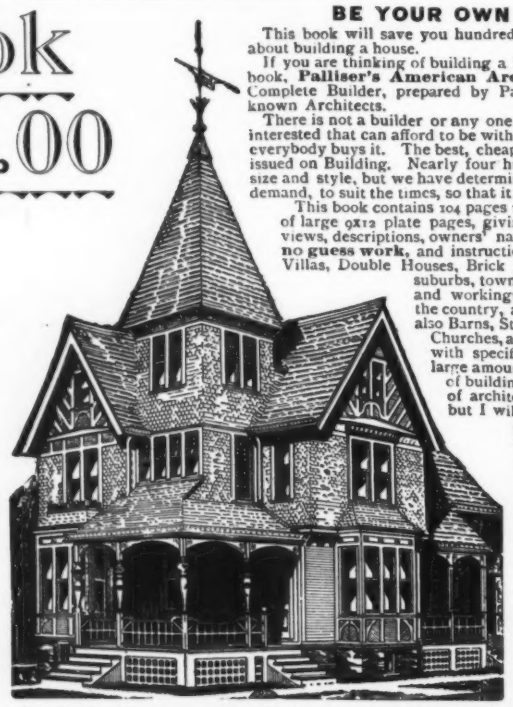

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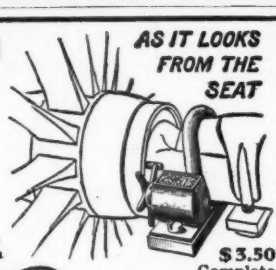

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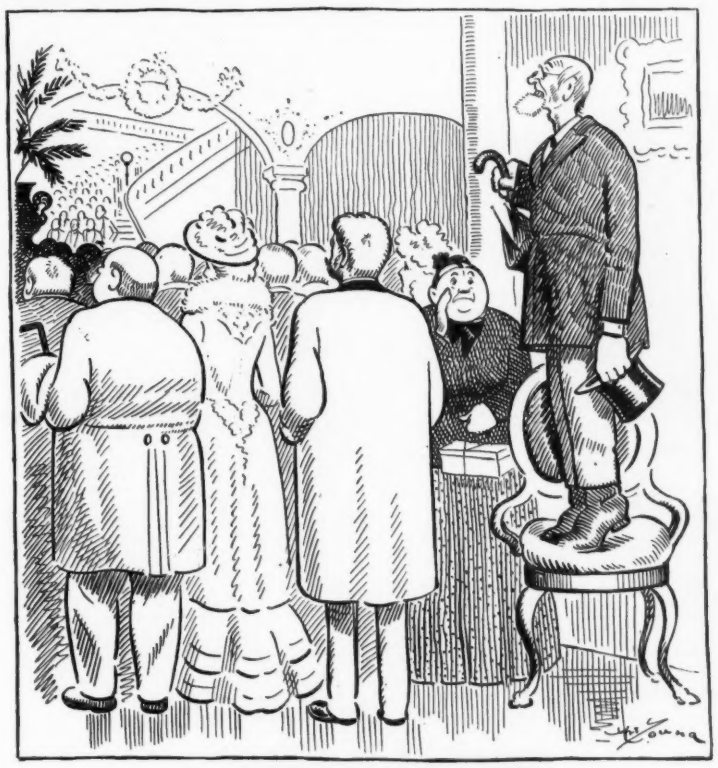

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